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News Briefs

BSU to sing valentines

The Baptist Student Union will be presenting singing valentines this year, said BSU Director Bob Mayfield.

Telegrams will cost \$5 each. The songs to be sung are "You Are My Sunshine" and "I Love You Truly." The telegrams can be delivered anywhere in the Tyler area and within a 10-mile radius from Loop 323.

The money raised by BSU will benefit their summer mission program. If you are interested in sending a telegram, contact any BSU member or the BSU office.

Opera to be performed

Five TJC students were selected for roles in the Texas Opera Theater production of "Madame Butterfly," said Music Instructor Molly McCoy.

The students selected were Wendy McKay as the American girl, Jami Lumpkin and Amy Mills as geishas and Michael Craig and Chris Bean as sailors. They were chosen for their sizes, McCoy said.

"Madame Butterfly" is an opera, sung in English, centered around a Japanese geisha and an American naval officer who betrays her love, she said.

The opera will be performed at 8 p.m. Feb. 22 in Wise Auditorium. Tickets are available at Melody Shop, TJC Business Office and the University of Texas at Tyler Bookstore. Cost is \$5 for adults and \$2 for students.

Media gives information

Just in case you wake up tomorrow morning and find ice or snow on the ground, simply tune in to a Tyler radio station or KLTV for information, says Information Services Director Patricia Logan.

Class cancellations will be determined no later than 6 a.m. for day classes and 3 p.m. for evening classes, Logan said. This information will then be passed on to the local media.

Organization sets goals

Heaven and Earth, a TJC community service organization promotes brotherhood and sisterhood between students and faculty. It is open to anyone without discrimination of sex, religion, creed or race.

"Currently we have about 25 members and are hoping for more this year," said President Dwayne Sanders.

"This semester our goals are to build the organization, challenge other organizations, also to upgrade promoting and improving school unity and spirit," he added.

The group meets at 2:15 p.m. every Monday in the Student Center.

Sanders said, referring to other organizations, "We will be back, so be on the lookout. Heaven and Earth will be in full bloom."

"Our motto is: We are one; we are unity; we are Heaven and Earth," he said.

Jobs to become available

Students interested in working abroad should contact the Work Abroad Program. For 14 years the program has been helping students cut through the red tape and find temporary work overseas.

"The jobs are basic," says Director Gillian Batchelder, "such as porters and chambermaids, but the salaries are sufficient to cover room and board."

The cost of the service is \$60, \$80 for Germany.

The program is limited to students 18 years or older.

For more information, contact CIEE, PR-WA, 205 East 42nd Street, New York, NY 10017 or call (212) 661-1414.

Senate to sponsor run

The Student Senate will sponsor their second Loop Run at 2 p.m. March 4, said Sophomore Class President Lorenzo Ross.

The run will be in the form of a relay and will cover a five-mile distance, he said.

Trophies will be presented for first, second and third places. Each team will receive a participation ribbon.

Catholics plan meeting

Catholic Students Organization plans a general mass meeting and pot luck supper at 6 p.m. tonight in the Student Center.

All students are invited, said Bill Necessary, spokesman for the group.



STAR-CROSSED LOVERS-Romance becomes tragedy for Madame Butterfly and Lt. Pinkerton in "Madame Butterfly," to be presented at 8 p.m. Feb. 22 in Wise Auditorium. Tickets are available in the Business Office. The Texas Opera Theater production is jointly sponsored by TJC and UT Tyler.

SWAP offers alternative

One alternative to fraternity and sorority participation offered to TJC students is membership in a group called Students With a Purpose.

President Diane Wilkerson explains that the organization is especially concerned with older students, who are an ever-increasing segment of the student body. In fact, Admissions Dean Kenneth Lewis reports that last

semester the average TJC student was 25.6 years old.

Many of these older students, having put their beer-guzzling days behind them, join SWAP for a brand of group recreation and involvement more dignified and less superficial than is commonly found in the ranks of Greekdom, says Wilkerson.

But there is more to SWAP.

They are also a kind of support group for the older student with responsibilities. Many hold jobs and raise families while continuing their education. Wilkerson is a working, single parent of five children.

SWAP meets at 2 p.m. today in the Student Lounge. As a part of a membership drive they will meet again Tuesday.

Scholarship deadline approaches

March 1 is the deadline for scholarship applications for the 1984 fall semester to be turned in to the Financial Aids Office, said Financial Aid Coordinator Faye Richardson.

This is the first year the Financial Aids Office has handled the scholarships, and many are available to be distributed to the academically excellent and in designated areas of study.

R.H. Clemmons, student financial aid director, said that no student should hesitate to apply for the scholarships, which will be awarded later in the spring. Most are given at the end of the freshman year to be used during the sophomore year.

Two new scholarships have been set up recently for high school students planning to enter TJC. For further information, contact the Financial Aids Office.

March 1 brings degree deadline

Those students who will have met the requirements to graduate and receive their degree this spring must apply and pay the \$10 graduation fee before March 1, said Registrar Kathlyn Neill.

"Everyone must apply," said Neill. "A lot of kids think graduation and receiving their degrees is automatic, like in high school, but it is not."

Application forms may be picked up in the Registrar's Office from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday through Thursday. On these forms a student must indicate the degree he is receiving: an associates degree in arts, an associates of business administration, an associates of applied science, or a certificate of proficiency.

Library announces hours

The Edgar H. Vaughn Library and Learning Resources Center is open everyday except Saturdays. It is open from 7:30 a.m. to 9:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday, 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Friday and 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday.

"The library hours are sufficient," said Mathematics Instructor Steve Green. "Even more hours would probably be a waste of time and money."

"I think the hours are good

enough because I wouldn't go even if they were open on Saturdays," said Freshman Tatia Rogers.

Despite complaints by some students that the library is not open enough on weekends, the hours it is open are the best

economical solution. Those students who really intend to make use of the library will go at these hours, librarians agree.

Editorial Students write, edit TJC News

The Tyler Junior College News is published every Thursday afternoon except holidays. Its editors are Rochelle Jackson-Doucet, Michael Mitchell and Elaine Reichard. All writing and photography is produced by first and second year journalism students.

The News accepts letters for possible publication, though they are subject to editing for length. Each letter must be signed with name, classification or title and hometown. Names will be withheld upon request. Anonymous letters will not be printed.

Organizations and individuals are encouraged to inform the News about possible story ideas and upcoming events which might be of interest to the student body.

As the News has a one week lead time, this may affect the coverage of some events. All advertisements must be at the News by noon Wednesday one week prior to its publication date. Likewise, all news must be at the News Thursday at noon one week prior to being published.

Any material received after this time will not be used.

Story ideas and newstips may be phoned in by calling 531-2300 or by coming to room 204, Potter Hall.

Artists strive for record

Members of Art Instructor Charline Wallis' design classes and art volunteers are making what they hope will be the world's largest valentine.

Carrying the message, "Texas loves the world," the valentine is projected to be 150 feet by 153 feet when finished. The heart in the middle will measure 48 feet by 66 feet, said Wallis.

The giant message is being painted on white roll paper with pink paint. The paint has been

donated by Coats-McCain Lumber Company, she said.

Work on the project began Feb. 2 in the halls of Genecov Science and Arts Building and will be finished Monday. At that time, Wallis said, they hope to spread it out on the practice field so that aerial photographs can be made.

The valentine will be a temporary work of art, Wallis said, like that of Cristo, the artist who has spread curtains along the hills

File lists tutors

Students needing the services of a tutor may contact the Counselling Office. Tutors for math, science, foreign languages, English, business, social sciences and other subjects are on file in the computer terminal there.

Students may look through the file and choose several potential tutors in order to assure finding one with a compatible schedule, said Counselor Mary Peddy. The Counselling Office does not actually recommend any tutor but does make the list available as a service, said Peddy.

Tutors on file may be persons with a degree and instructors. Others are students preparing for the educational field or students good in a particular field and hav-

ing at least a B average in it.

The student contacts the tutor and works out a time and place to work. The Counselling Office recommends that the fee be established at once and that the student pay at each session. A student is under no obligation to continue with a particular tutor.

Fees for student tutors are usually \$5 to \$6 an hour. Tutors with a degree charge fees of \$9 to \$10 and up per hour.

We are always looking for good students able to tutor in the various disciplines, said Peddy. However, they are not guaranteed work. Jobs may be short range or long range. The main areas for which tutoring is requested are math and science.

Ceremony caps 51 freshmen

Fifty-one freshmen nursing students received their caps during the recent ceremony held at the First Presbyterian Church.

Each of the four groups were capped by the head of their respective clinical group.

Christine Harper, R.N., M.S., capped Janice Allen, Judy Beck, Kellie Fedor, Roy Hanson, Liz Harris, Cindy Medlin, Barbara Nuckolls, Janet Roberts, Danette Stewart and Nina Yates.

Capped by Margaret Taylor, R.N., M.S., were Margaret Cook, Bret Dodgen, Melissa Ewers, Judy Fitzgerald, Janell Gallegly, Celeste Gaston, Debbie Greene and Guyn Knox. Also capped were Lisa Langford, Tonya McFadden, Emily McKay, Sallie Polk, Tim Ryzdak, Teresa Saenz and Gina Wilson.

Patricia Peters, R.N., M.S.,

and beaches of several coastlines.

The project is the brainchild of Mary West, local promoter.

West, who is probably best known as the Bill Day Tire girl, said the project has been a dream of hers for seven years.

West is promoting the project and has contacted the Guinness Book of World Records, Willard Scott of the "Today Show" and "PM Magazine" and "4-Country" shows. She also plans to contact Johnny Carson, she said.

LESA invites students to join at meeting

Students interested in the criminal justice system are invited to attend the next regular meeting of the Law Enforcement Student Association at 3 p.m. Feb. 21 in the Student Center.

"We are interested in the different areas of the criminal justice system," said LESA President Jay Bohannon. "Most of us are interested in becoming police officers."

Membership is open to any student enrolled in a criminal justice class. Meetings are held every

capped Claire Bingham, Gloria Carter, Judy Esparza, Jerrie Hall, Janice Holbrook, Irene Kee and Sue Mason. Also in this group were Debra Moran, Leslie Parr, Tracey Pearson, Pennie Pittman, Charlene Raffle, Debbie Rhodes and Nancy Ryal.

Capped by Hollie Sheppard, R.N., B.S.N., were Donna White, Debbie Perkins, Darnell Strange, Cathy Gable, Maudie Warren, Sheila Williams, La-Joyce McMillan, Norma Vessels, Janna Smith, Mike Fitzgerald, Charlotte Bonner and Paul Sanders.

Marie Jackson, program coordinator for the associate degree in nursing, made introductions at the ceremony. Guest speaker was June Murphey, former director of the Texas Eastern School of Nursing.

These students are enrolled in the two-year nursing program and received their caps as a symbol of having completed their first year.

Winter maintenance prevents problems

Car troubles are something that no one really wants to face, especially in the cold weather. The winter is not over yet, so here are some tips to keep your car going when the weather is not going so well.

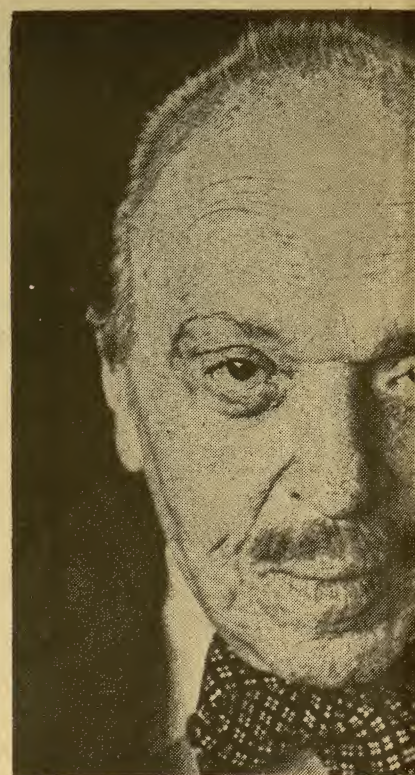
Perry and Margaret Wheeler, a husband and wife mechanic

team in the East Texas area, said that the antifreeze should be mixed with water according to directions on the container. The mixtures will differ according to the seasonal changes. The oil should also be checked and changed regularly.

Keeping the air pressure in the tires checked and on the correct pressure may save the trouble of changing a flat tire in the freezing rain and cold air, they said. Also, a clean air filter will protect the carburetor from dirt and dust in the air.

By leaving your car on empty, the gas lines may freeze, they said. At least a quarter of a tank of gas should be left in the car at all times. After every other fill-up, a can of dry gas will prevent gas lines from freezing.

The Wheelers said the best advice to be given is to let your car warm up after it has been sitting for several hours. This should prevent extreme troubles, they said. If everything is kept checked, your car should make it through the winter, they said.



FAMOUS TEXAN--Native Texan director and producer, will lecture at the Student Senate. He will conduct workshops and author "South Pacific" and "Mist on a Mountain." He has also authored outstanding plays as "Annie Get Your Gun" and the revival of "Charley's Aunt" by the Student Senate.

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Ellen Friedman studies cloning

Dr. Ellen Friedman, artist, scientist and writer, is the daughter of former TJC Vice President I.L. Friedman, and Hudnall Planetarium Director Frances Friedman.

Dr. Friedman, a former TJC student, is researching recombinant DNA including cloning.

"She also does free-lance writing and art work for several companies including NASA," said Friedman.

She was given grants from several institutes, which include the American Cancer Society and the National Institutes of Health, while engaged in post-doctoral research at the University of California at San Diego.

"She has been interested in science for a long time. She was also interested in other fields but she decided to go into research," Friedman added.

She received her B.S. in

microbiology from the University of Texas at Austin with high honors.

Her Ph.D from Rice University in 1977 is in biochemistry. While there she published several articles in the Journal of Biological Chemistry.

"Then she went to California to do research in a field that very little is known about," Friedman said.

Fall aid seekers need apply

Students applying for any form of financial aid for the '84 fall semester at TJC should register in the Financial Aids Office as soon as possible, said R.H. Clemmons, student financial aid director.

"Virtually all of the financial aid offered at TJC is need-based and funded by the federal government," said Clemmons. "So the government decides whether the applicant is eligible or not."

Since the aid is given to those who need it by the government on a first-come, first-served basis, students should pick up their '84-'85 applications now and complete and return them as soon as possible.

Those students who will graduate this spring and are planning to apply for financial aid to continue their education, should contact the Financial Aids Office at the institution they plan to attend immediately.

"They should find out what kinds of financial aid is available, get an application and be aware of any deadlines involved," Clemmons stressed.

Around Campus

Friday, Feb. 10

7 p.m.-Activity Night at Tri-C

Sunday, Feb. 12

8:30 p.m.-ABS Fellowship

Monday, Feb. 13

7 p.m.-Bible Study at BSU

Tuesday, Feb. 14

BSU Singing Valentines

Noon-Soup and Bread at Tri-C

3 p.m.-Student Senate

7 p.m.-One-to-One Women's Group at Tri-C

7:30 p.m.-Campus Crusade at Vaughn Conservatory

8 p.m.-Valentine Dance in Student Center

Wednesday, Feb. 15

Noon-Agape Lunch at BSU

4 p.m.-ABS Bible Study

6 p.m.-Dinner and Devotional at Tri-C

8 p.m.-Jacksonville vs. Apaches here

Thursday, Feb. 16

10 p.m.-Rap at Wesly

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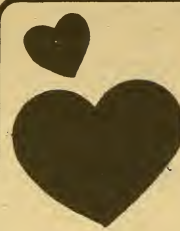
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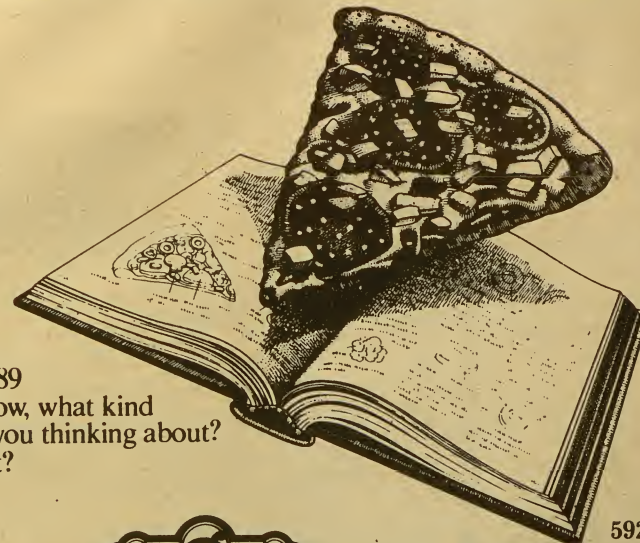


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Ladies lead in scoring, keep grade points high

The Apache Ladies made the leap from eighth-ranked in the National Junior College Athletic Association poll to the No. 3 spot.

The Ladies led the nation in scoring in their first 10 games while averaging 90 points a game. They broke the record four consecutive times for most points scored in one game. The previous record of 108 points was replaced by 115 points scored against Texas State Technological Institute in Waco.

The Ladies have achieved national status while maintaining the second best grade average among TJC social and athletic groups.

"The Apache Ladies are ranked second in the nation with the most points averaged in a basketball game. That is 89.7," said Coach George Cox.

"At the beginning of the season, the Apache Ladies were picked to finish third in conference, but devotion and loyalty changed that theory," he added.

The Ladies team includes four all-American track stars: Charlotte Reescano, Shelia Bryant, Clara Jean Davis and Lee Ann Doffing. Roxane Birkenfeld was state champion in tennis. They also have 11 players who

made all-state in high school.

The Ladies basketball team has the second best grade point average of any social or sports organization. Their overall team grade point average is 2.68 and team members average 17 semester hours of study each, said Intercollegiate Athletic Director Floyd Wagstaff.

"Most athletes are stereotyped to be dumb," said Wagstaff.

If you look at the majority of these athletes' averages, they are not any worse than any other students' and they are playing games or practicing most of the time, he added.

Gina Eidson, who is recovering from cancer surgery, made the honor roll.

"You cannot play sports forever and I'm proud that my team is doing so well on and off the courts," said Cox.

Tribe loses, 87-68

The Paris Dragons exploded for 25 unanswered second-half points to overcome the Apaches, 87-68.

The loss dropped the Tribe to 11-10 overall and 2-8 in conference while Paris upped their record to 14-9 and 7-3.

Despite poor shooting the Apaches went into the halftime intermission holding a 42-38 advantage.

Deon Alexander, who led TJC scoring with 25 points, said, "Poor shooting and the flu (which several Apache players had) hurt us the most."

The first half was close but in the second half the tiring effect of the flu hampered our play, he said.

Ladies improve record

The third-ranked Apache Ladies won their eighth consecutive Texas Eastern Conference game by beating the Paris Lady Dragons, 94-72.

It was the Apache Ladies' 15th straight victory overall, improving their record to 21-2 and 8-0 in conference.

Although the Ladies started slow they were able to tally a 45-34 halftime lead.

Sophomore Charlotte Reescano from Hardin led TJC scoring with 15 points. She also played the boards well, coming down with 11 rebounds.

Darla Bottoms was high scorer in the game netting 24 points for the Lady Dragons. Alisa Long added 18 for Paris, but the stout Apache Ladies' defense prevented any scare, blocking 15 Paris shots.

The loss dropped Paris to 13-11 and 1-7 in conference play.

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